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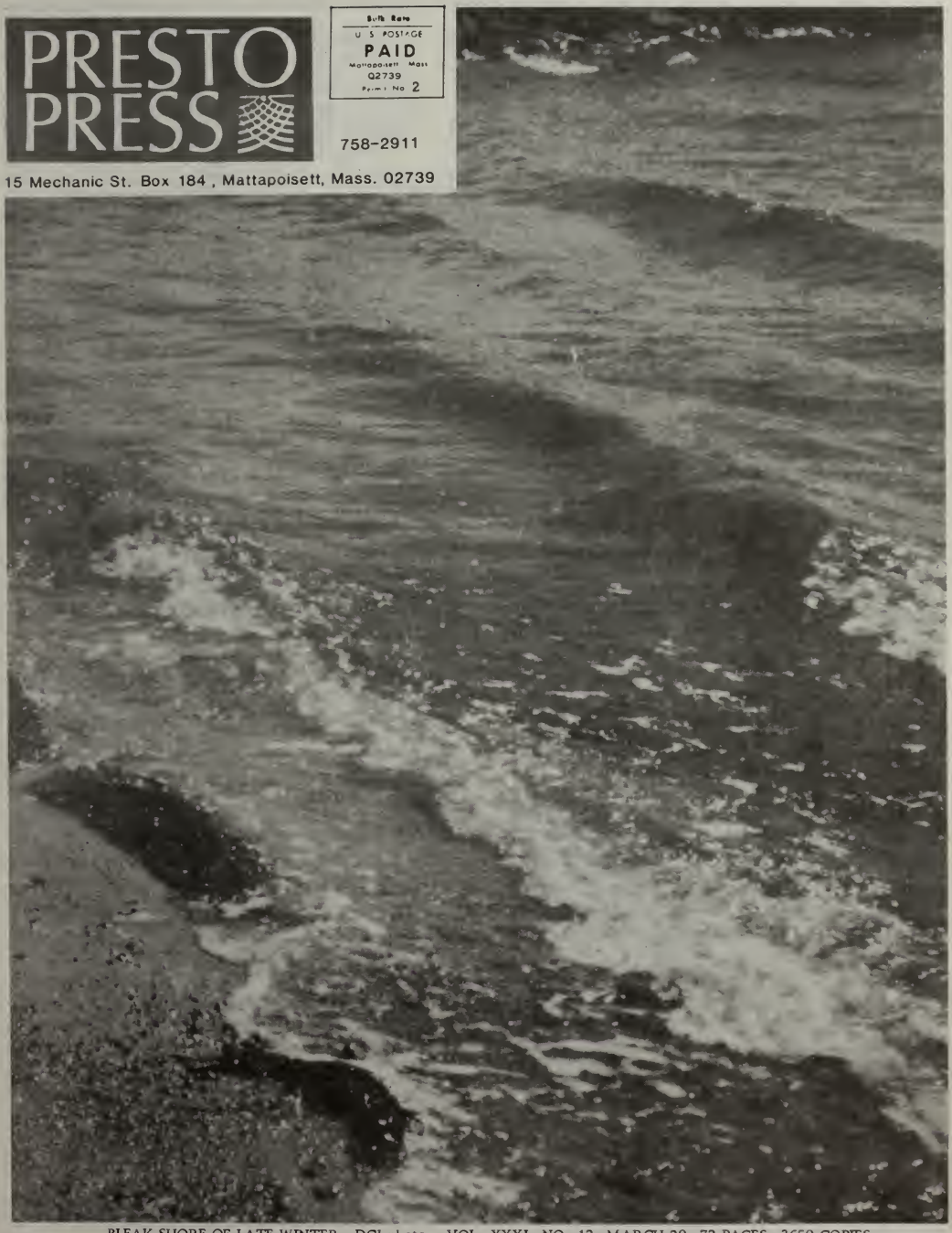

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Selectmen's Meeting

MARCH 12, 1985 - by VIRGINIA ARRAL

BERTHS AT TOWN PIER COME UNDER CRITICISM BY RESIDENT

The Board of Selectmen last Tuesday read a letter from Howard C. Chadwick, Jr. of 12 Grand Avenue, Hollywoods, in which he expressed concern over the number of years (now four years) that he has been waiting for a berth at the wharf. He cited the following reasons for his complaint:

"To my knowledge," Chadwick wrote, "the three people ahead of me do not have boats large enough for a berth. Last year, I was passed over because Lloyd Haskell, harbormaster, had to find room for B. Ferreira's "Gallant Lady", a boat that takes a 52-foot berth. B. Ferreira was number seven then and I was number five. That berth became available when a 32 foot boat vacated. I think that Mr. Haskell could have placed two 24 foot boats in that berth since a 50 foot space was found for "Gallant Lady". That was last year and this is a new year, and I feel that something should definitely be done about that particular boat being placed ahead of others on the list."

Chadwick continued, "It is my understanding that, according to the rules, one must own a boat and have it on berth by July 1st or forfeit the berth. Also, that berth must be paid for in full by January 31st of that year." With these facts, he asked the Selectmen to explain how the following allegations can be allowed to take place.

"(1) Louis Costa has not had his boat on berth for the past two years and still holds a berth. The berth has been used by a Mr. Davidson on Route 6. It is a red hull boat and is stored in Davidson's yard. Mr. Costa's boat is a 22' Aquasport, and has been stored in his yard on a trailer until just recently when it was moved to John Bowman's yard. 2) Charles Smith of North Street sold his boat in September 1983. Since then the boat that has been using that berth belongs to Bernard Talty. It is a 19' Mako and is stored in Mr. Talty's yard on Edgewood Lane. 3) William Hall has a berth. The boat on the berth there is owned by Victor Demski and is stored in Mr. Demski's yard. At one time, this boat was owned by Tom Demski. 4) The boat in Victor Demski's berth at the pier is owned by David Demski. It is a lobster boat. The boat registration might be in the names of Victor and David Demski ("a cover-up") but it is owned and insured through the Massachusetts Lobstermen's Association in the name of David Demski."

Mr. Chadwick wrote that Mr. Haskell knows about these things. He said, "I spoke to him, and his comments were: 'Go see the Selectmen' and 'You live down at Hollywoods, why do you want a berth?' and 'I (Mr. Haskell) had a berth for my boat and I gave up the berth'."

Chadwick wrote, "I am a resident and taxpayer of Mattapoisett, and I feel very strongly that since I have been on the list for many years, when my name and number comes up and there are berths available, then I should have one. I feel the three berths described earlier should be available. They all come under the heading of cover-ups and this is a well-known fact along

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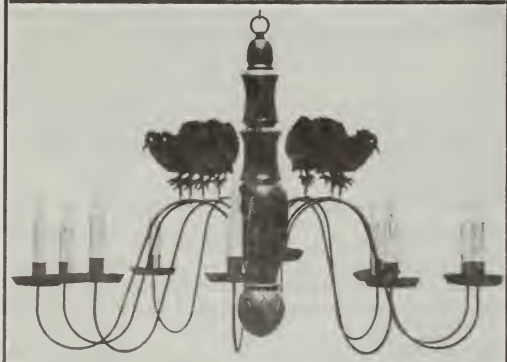
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This information was brought to the Selectmen's attention, said Chadwick, because "you seem to be interested in the wharf". Selectmen instructed Executive Secretary Carol Adams to seek answers from Harbormaster Haskell and to respond by letter to Mr. Chadwick. Selectman Frank Suzan, to whom the letter from Chadwick was addressed, stressed that each statement should be responded to. Selectmen also noted this information is Chadwick's point of view and will be checked.

In other business, Selectmen:

MET WITH Brenda Predreira, Program Director of Project Independence, an Elderly Day Care Center located in New Bedford. She noted the Center has been in operation for three years and operates out of the North Baptist Church.

The Adult Day Care Center services elderly and medically disabled. At the present time the center is servicing 24 elderly a day. Some of these would be in nursing homes if they didn't come to the center. The majority of clients live alone and come to the center an average of three days a week. The day care center services these people with their nutritional needs and constructive activities. The services are paid for through Medicaid or $20.50 per day by private payment.

Ms. Predreira noted the center is not affiliated with a hospital. She said the project leases a van and takes people out for shopping trips.

The director informed Selectmen the proposal is to expand the services and the Whaling City Community Adult Day Health Care Center, Inc. is seeking a second location to set up another day care center, preferably in Fairhaven or Mattapoisett. She noted they are currently servicing several adults

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The director said Coastline Elderly Services has assisted them with grants and they hope to open up a new center with private donations. She stressed she was not seeking funding from the Mattapoisett Selectmen.

Ms. Predreira said the site would need to have low overhead cost, have to have handicapped access or could be made accessible and preferably a place with kitchen facilities.

Selectmen could offer little assistance on a site for the day care center, with the exception of the Knights of Columbus Hall on Route 6. Selectmen Chairman John DeCosta recommended Ms. Predreira consult with Harold Roeder and Fred Taber of the Mattapoisett Council on Aging. In the meantime, the board agreed they would seek other acceptable sites.

DISCUSSED with William Nicholson, water superintendent, the possibility of his department acquiring the use of a computer to get the bills out. He cited other town water departments that have such a program. He told of a meeting in Randolph in April where a speaker will discuss having one company write programs that all towns can use together. He said the computer could be used for keeping maintenance records and doing rate studies, in addition to billing.

Selectman Suzan warned of using a well-known program and not one that would go default. Selectman James Huntoon recommended Mr. Nicholson take the town's specifications with him to the Randolph meeting. Huntoon said, "I feel town departments should have similar programs in our computers. Compatability is the key word."

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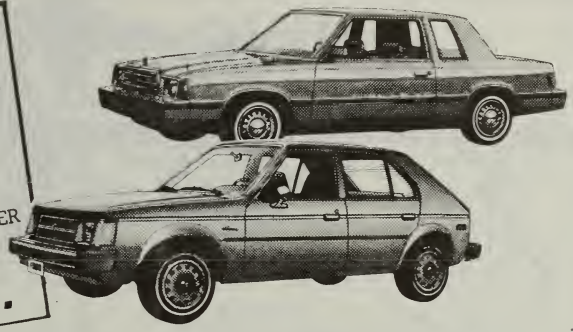

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RECEIVED WORD from the Department of Revenue that the town is on the waiting list for proposed funds for help in converting the accounting system to the revised uniform municipal accounting system. Chairman DeCosta commented that Town Accountant Barbara Dakin had applied for this funding several months ago.

APPOINTED Winifred Burnham of 87 County Road as a member of the Council on Aging.

RECEIVED TWO LETTERS on the proposed dredging of Aucoot Cove -- one from Shellfish Constable Al Pauline, the second from Christopher Taft, Marion's Shellfish Constable.

The two letters were of the same opinion -- "the effect of dredging Aucoot Cove would be disastrous to the two town's shellfish".

Indian Cove Associates has made an application for Notice of Intent to dredge Aucoot Cove. It was noted in the letter from Taft that the area to be dredged is 90 percent in Mattapoisett. He recommended that the cove is a complete Eco-System and both towns should be involved in all phases of the permit process.

The State Division of Marine Fisheries conducted a shellfish survey at the request of the Indian Cove Associates.

Mattapoisett Conservation Commission Chairman James Shepley informed the board that the commission will watch closely this proposal and assured the board and Pauline that no dredging will be allowed of the area without the commission's approval.

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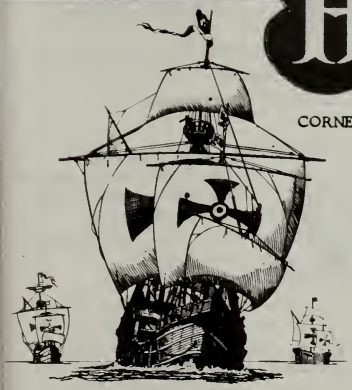

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Please vote on April 2.

Candidates for Selectmen were asked the questions: What specific contributions do you feel you can make as Selectman? and Keeping in mind limited funds and expanding demands on town services, what are your views on balancing Mattapoisett's budget?

Candidate Frank Suzan replied on the first question: "Several issues I see facing the town in the immediate future are: Continued operating of the town within the constraints of Proposition 2½ while maintaining the present level of services and our excellent educational programs. Resolving the present SEMASS contract problem of escalating tonnage costs due to DEQE added requirements. To carry on the renovation program of the town wharves which we have been able to fund the past two years.

In summary I believe my extensive background in leadership and management coupled with the past three years of experience in the Office of Selectman qualifies me to continue as Selectman."

Mr. Suzan replied to the second question: "The policy and practice of the town has been to operate within a balanced budget. We will continue to do the same in the future. Also as in the past, from time to time we will borrow through bonds for major capital expenditures."

On the question, What specific contributions do you feel you can make as a member of the Housing Authority? The candidates replied: ELIZABETH SMITH:

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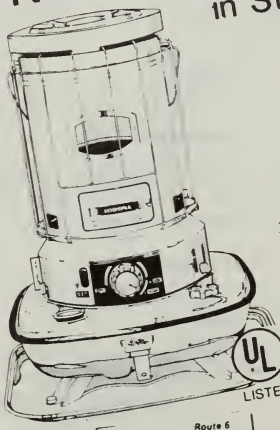
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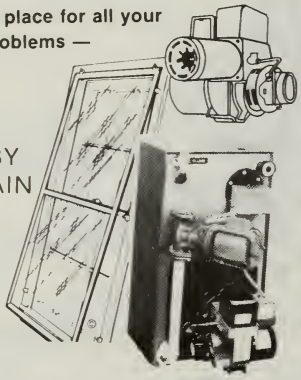

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of the elderly, disabled, individuals and families on fixed incomes gained through my experience as assistant in the Veterans' Services Office in Mattapoisett during the past 3½ years will enable me to fulfill this position effectively. I plan to strive for and maintain a good working relationship with other board members and town officials. I am sympathetic to the needs of the tenants affected by the Housing Authority. I feel that these residents should have a normal and independent life-style even though their dwelling is governed by the Housing Authority."

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The second question asked was: As a member of the Housing Authority what do you feel will be the top priority issue during your term of office? The replies:

ELIZABETH SMITH:

"I plan to research the need for additional handicapped units at Village Court, examine state regulations to obtain monies for improvements at Homestead Court; investigate further the assured safety and protection of residents and visitors by inquiring into

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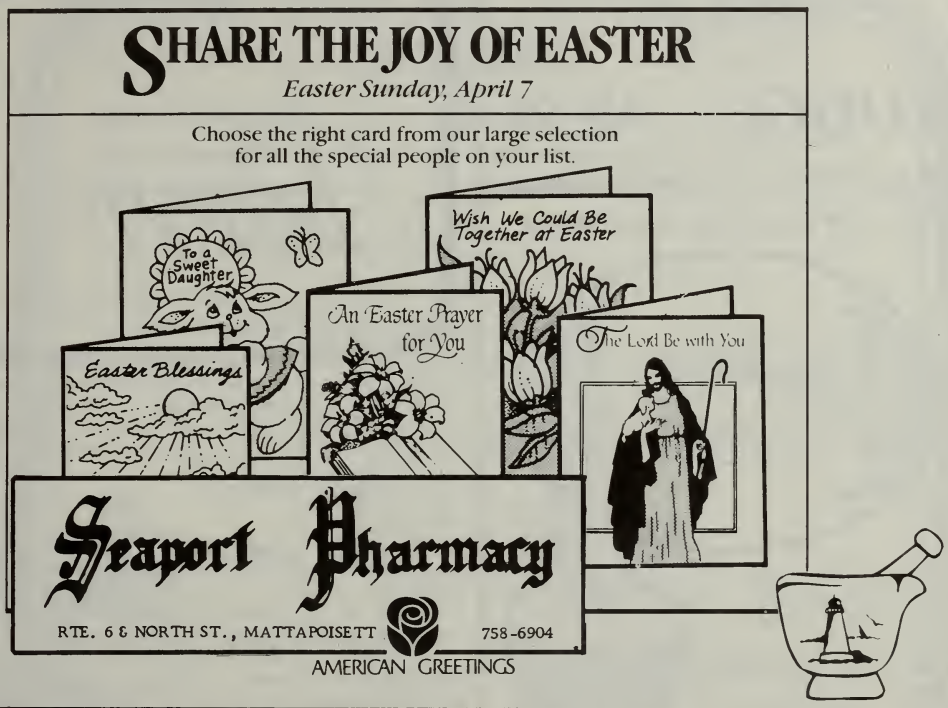
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the area of additional parking at Village Court which would eliminate curbside parking directly in front of the building except for Emergency Vehicles. I also want to see the "Vial of Life" program begin at Village Court as soon as possible. This program will give all emergency Medical Personnel the necessary information needed with regard to any and all medical problems the patient may have to help assess medical needs should the person be unable to speak."

LOUIS F. KLEIN, III:

"The most important issue for the housing authority in the coming months is the construction of the two additional units at the Village Court facility. I feel that the new units are especially important for it is necessary to help the handicapped to be as self-sufficient as possible. By helping to make these units a success further development in this area will hopefully continue."

To this question, As highway surveyor what do you feel will be the top priority issue during your term of office? the candidates replied:

MANUEL R. NUNES, JR:

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three years, if re-elected, will be to continue to improve the work performance of the Highway Department; also, to try to keep our budget within a reasonable limit (considering the high cost of materials and labor); and make any improvements necessary to the town streets and roads; of which new streets are approved of each year; which is determined by the voters at the annual Town Meeting. As a past president of Massachusetts Highway and Plymouth County Highway Associations and a member of Barnstable

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"Presently, I feel the top priority issues facing the position stem from a variety of community concerns. First, I propose the establishment and preservation of map-keeping and records of our storm drainage system; to increase the efficiency of our town's maintenance program. Second, I propose the centralization of the town's 34 vehicles (except Fire and Police) at one (town-owned) location, to provide cost saving (elimination of rental costs) as well as a consistent, easily accessible location for repairs and parts. In conjunction with this, I feel the establishment of a central purchasing practice for all parts, lubricants and tires in cooperation with all town departments would be extremely beneficial to the town's present purchasing practices in terms of cost savings and availability of stock items."

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DONALD LINHARES:

"As Highway Surveyor I feel I can contribute to the motivation and direction of the everyday work functions of the department as it is at a low ebb right now. I feel I can develop a systematic approach for the establishment and maintenance of records and maps necessary as an informational resource for the department and the town. I would establish a system of sharing equipment between departments, striving to eliminate the rental costs of outside equipment used for town projects. The Mutual Aid Law could possibly be utilized. I propose the town appoint a Preventative Maintenance Coordinator who would take care of the 20 town-owned buildings and structures and to keep them in tip-top condition by working closely with town Boards to prevent unnecessary dilapidation before costly expense is incurred. Being a contractor, and presently working as a State Resident Engineer, my first-hand experience would contribute to this proposal."

Candidates for the Board of Health were asked: As Board of Health member what do you feel will be the top priority issue dur-

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ing your term of office? and What specific contributions do you feel you can make as a member of the Board of Health?

In answer to the first question, Candidate Michael Michaud replied: "I will work to preserve Mattapoisett's environment and quality of life. I will monitor Medicare changes regarding home health care for the elderly. I would work to implement safe guidelines for the SEMASS Solid Waste Disposal plan that would best benefit Mattapoisett. I would work to establish a 'Vial of Life' program for persons with medical disabilities. I would like to set up guidelines for a newborn referral system which would be more timely than the current system."

To the second question, Mr. Michaud replied: "As a licensed social worker, I feel that my background will unquestionably help me to work harmoniously with the current members of the Board of Health and also interact with the Senior Citizens, Public Health Nurses, and anyone who would deal with the Board of Health."

Other candidates for contested offices are John Bowman, Board of Selectmen; and Paul Kelley, Board of Health.

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As assessor what do you feel will be the top priority issue during your term of office?

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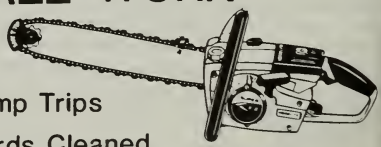

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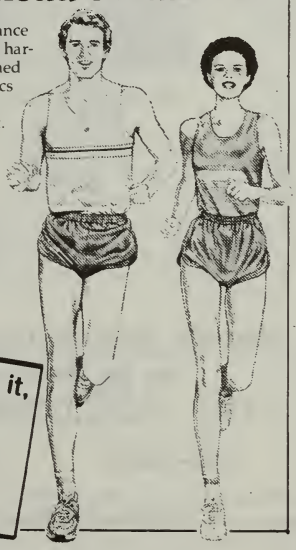

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BEATRICE JOHNSON:

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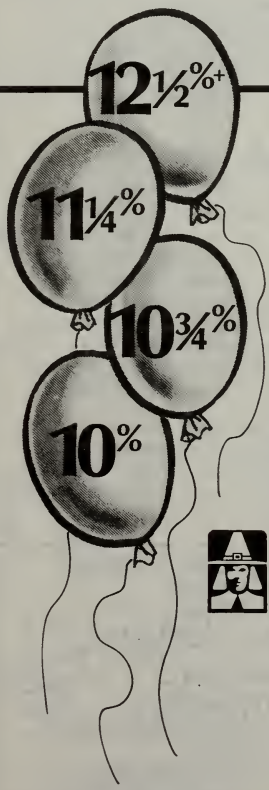

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As tree warden what do you feel will be the top priority issue during your term of office?

WESLEY N. BOWMAN:

"As tree warden of Mattapoisett my top priority will be my continued dedication to the proper supervision and care of one of the town's valuable assets - our trees."

As a member of the Housing Authority what do you feel will be the top priority issue during your term of office?

JAMES SANTOS:

"If elected my goals would be to distribute equal and fair housing for low income and the elderly. To continue to maintain fair representation for low income families and the elderly. To be able to obtain any funding from Federal or State Grants, which I feel would be beneficial to the elderly in our community, therefore, making our town a more desirable place in which to live. And to present the availability of these grants to the fellow members on the Board."

Candidates' Night

All candidates for town offices in Mattapoisett have been invited to participate in Candidates' Night to be held Sunday, March 24th, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Congregational Church Parish Hall.

Donald Fleming will serve as Moderator, introducing the candidates. Each candidate will be given an opportunity to speak. This will be followed by questions from the audience, to be answered by the candidates.

Candidates' Night is under the dual sponsorship of the Mattapoisett Woman's Club and the Mattapoisett Lions' Club. Refreshments will follow when you can speak to the candidates personally.

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From the Town Clerk

ABSENTEE BALLOT APPLICATIONS

Absentee Ballots are available for individuals who will not be home on election day, April 2nd, or for those persons whose working hours do not allow them to vote in person at the polls. Applications and ballots are now available in the Town Clerk's Office, Mattapoisett Town Hall.

DOG LICENSES

1985 dog licenses are now being sold in the Town Clerk's Office, Mattapoisett Town Hall. Rabies vaccination certificates are required if one is not on file with the 1984 license. Licenses are due on or before April 1st. Look for special RABIES CLINIC to be held in the near future.

CENSUS

A reminder to return your census form to Ms. Ennis, Municipal Census Supervisor. If you wish, you may call the office with your information. Every response we receive is one less we have to call or visit. At this time we are missing approximately 1,000 responses. If you haven't called or mailed in your household's report please do so as soon as possible. Town Clerk's Office, 758-6707.

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Marion Elderly Housing

TABER HOUSE: STUDY COMMITTEE

The Marion Elderly Housing Study Committee consists of the following members: Ron Barrows, Russ Buddington, Mary Gallini, Zora Turnbull Lynch and Eunice Manduca. These members would be interested to hear from any townspeople addressing the Committee's concerns on the future of elderly housing in the Town of Marion.

It is the responsibility of this Committee to bring a report to the April 22 1985 Town Meeting concerning "IF, HOW & WHEN TABER HALL, RECENTLY PURCHASED BY THE TOWN OF MARION, SHOULD BE CONVERTED INTO HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY". The Committee met recently with Architect Peter Brown who will return to a meeting at the Marion Town House on April 2nd at 7 p.m. with a few alternative plans for developing Taber Hall. Interested townspeople are invited to attend any and all meetings of this committee. Study Committee members will be at the Marion Town House every Tuesday evening from 7 to 8 p.m. to discuss the pros and cons of the project and it is vital that they get maximum input from Marion townspeople in order to make the best possible decisions and recommendations for the future of Elderly Housing in the Town.

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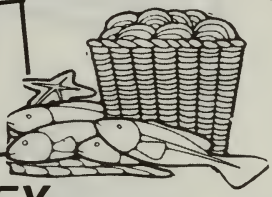

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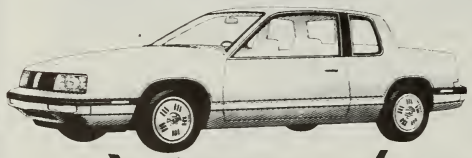
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Marion Natural History Society

PROGRAM "AROUND THE WORLD IN 1551 DAYS"

The Marion Natural History Society will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, March 28th, at 7:30 p.m. Meetings are held at the Museum which is over the Elizabeth Taber Library on Spring Street.

The program, "Around the World in 1551 Days", will be presented by Jennifer Briggs and Peter Francis and is a very entertaining slide show of the couple's four year odyssey on their cruising sailboat.

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Bake Sale

St. Anthony's Women's Guild will hold a Bake Sale Saturday, March 30th, in the Church Hall from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Mattapoisett Woman's Club

NURSING HOME

Bingo and visiting day at the Mattapoisett Nursing Home will be March 27th. Cookie makers will be Norma Holt, regular; and Martha Cook, diabetic.

GUEST NIGHT PROGRAM

The March meeting of the Mattapoisett Woman's Club will feature a special program entitled "Reminiscence of China".

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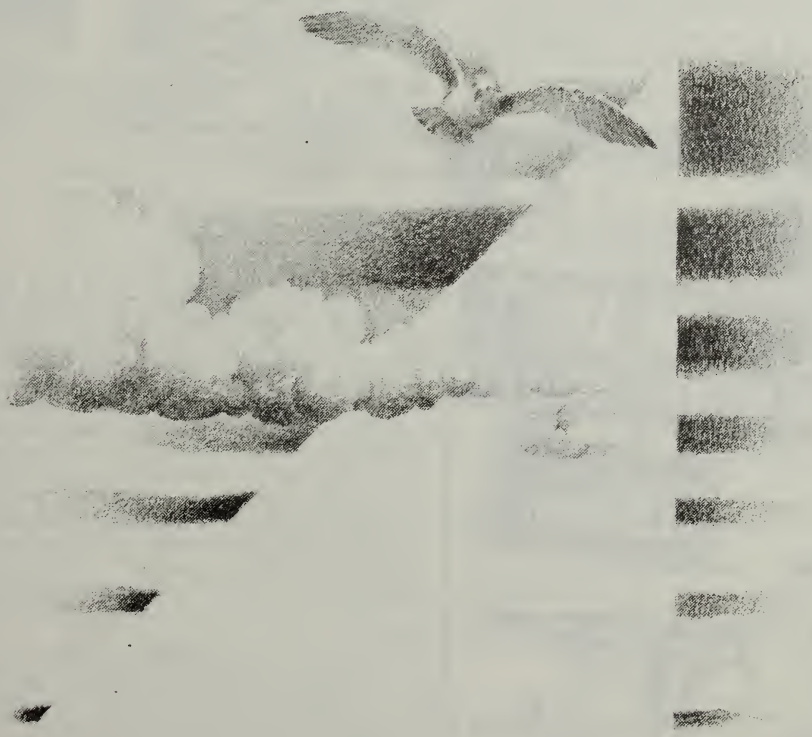

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Mattapoisett Elementary Schools

ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

DEMONSTRATION BY METRO STEEL ORCHESTRA

On Friday, March 22nd, at 1:30 seven members of the Metro Steel Orchestra will give a demonstration-concert for all Mattapoisett elementary school students. The demonstration-concert will be held at Old Hammondtown School. The children will have the opportunity to hear and learn about steel band music which has, for a long time, been a cultural feature peculiar to the Caribbean. The concert will last for one hour. It has been jointly funded by the Mattapoisett Parent-Teachers' Club and the Mattapoisett Arts Council.

ORPHANED ANIMAL PROGRAM

On Monday, March 25th, at Center School, and Tuesday, March 26th, at Old Hammondtown School, Sharon Young of the Webb of Life Outdoor Educational Program will present the "Little Critter" Orphaned Animal Program.

It will be at Center School March 25th, second grade, 9:30 to 10:30; and third grade, 10:30 to 11:30; and Old Hammondtown School on March 26th, 5th grade, 9 to 10; and 6th grade, 10 to 11.

This program is sponsored by the Mattapoisett P.T.C.

Mattapoisett Library

PRE-SCHOOL STORY HOUR continues on Wednesday a.m. at 11:00 in the children's room. All are welcome.

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Wedding Announcement

David Perkins of Mattapoisett announces the marriage of his mother, Edna Fiske Perkins, to George N. Winslow in Ft. Myers, Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Winslow will spend summers in Mattapoisett and winter in Ft. Myers.

Coffee House

The second in a series of Coffee House Evenings will be held at the Marion Art Center on Friday, March 22nd, at 7:30 p.m. The featured entertainer will be singer/guitarist Joan LaFerriere of New Bedford. Her program consists of traditional songs and will be complemented by the early music of Naomi Arenberg, a well-known singer from this area. The evening will also be highlighted by M.C. and Storyteller Gail Roberts of Mattapoisett. Many younger residents know Ms. Roberts as the children's libarian at the Elizabeth Taber Library in Marion. Everyone will have a chance to enjoy her lively wit and personality at the Coffee House.

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FORM Winner

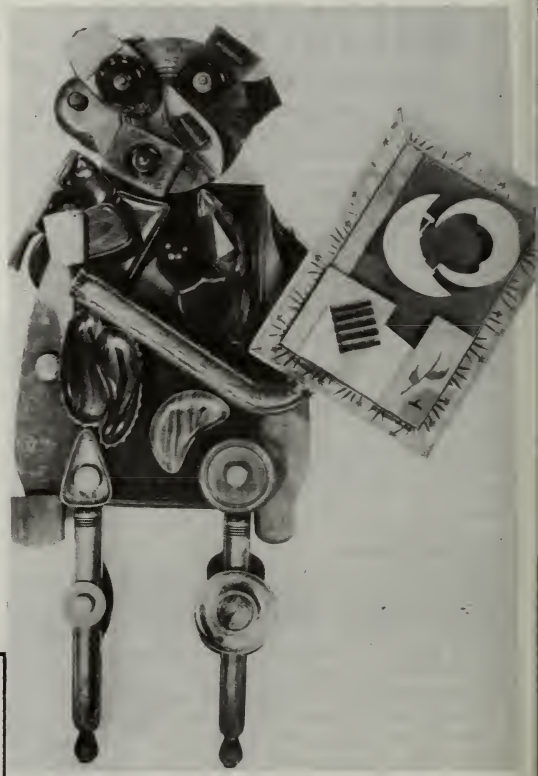
SEVENTH WINNER ANNOUNCED

Barbara Bauer of Mattapoisett was the seventh winner of $50.00 in the 10-week raffle being conducted by F.O.R.M. to raise money for Old Rochester band uniforms. The seventh winner was drawn last Friday by Mattapoisett Selectman James Huntoon.

Marion Art Center

JOHN BAKER SCULPTURE EXHIBITION

An exhibition of sculptures by John Baker will be on display at the Marion Art Center beginning Friday, March 29th, with a wine and cheese reception from 6 to 8 p.m., and will run through April 17th. This is Baker's first show in five years since his inclusion in Six Distinct Visions at the Marisa del Re Gallery in New York. At that time New York reviewers praised his "sense of wit"



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Beginning Thursday, April 11th, dance for all ages from ballet to tap and jazz will be instructed by Kay Hanley Alden. Ms. Alden, a graduate of the Boston Conservatory and Sadlers Wells ballet in London, is well respected in her field. Introductory classes are offered for children from 3 to 12 with more diverse techniques including aerobics for teens and adults. Call the center for specific times. The spring session will run for eight weeks.

Utilizing the newly renovated studio, Debby Johnson will teach a course in the fine art of basketry. The classes will meet Friday mornings from 9:30 to 11:30. At least three baskets can be completed in the six-week period. Ms. Johnson's accomplishments range from small ornament-sized creations to larger, traditional baskets -- some large enough for a small child.

Mr. Tony Pelson will instruct an eight-week session in the basics of stained glass beginning the week of April 15th. These classes will meet in the evenings for two hours, the dates to be arranged at the convenience of the students. Please

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The ORR Chess Team completed its third consecutive regular season without a defeat. On March 6th ORR defeated Fairhaven by the score of 5-0. This was the ninth shut-out in ten matches and raised their record to 10-0-0. In individual games ORR finished 49-1-0 for the season. The Chess League playoffs will begin soon and will pit defending league champions ORR against second place New Bedford High. The playoffs are a "best-two-out-of-three" situation with ORR favored to win since they have already defeated New Bedford twice this season by identical scores of 5-0.

According to Mr. Cameron, advisor, the playoffs shouldn't last more than two matches. The players at ORR are solid at all five boards.

ORR Math Team

After four meets of the Atlantic-Pacific Mathematics League the ORR Math Team finds itself in third place in Massachusetts and in fifth place in New England. ORR leads such schools as: Medford, Phillips Academy, Amherst Regional, Lexington, Bishop Connolly, Brookline, Central Catholic, and Foxboro.

Leading scorers for ORR are: Jeff Humph-

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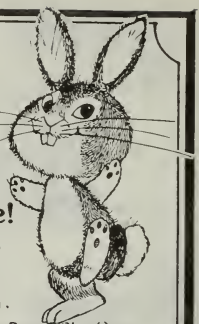

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rey, Jeff Starecheski, Sue Herman, Mike Burnett and Brian Reid.

The ORR Math Team, competing in the New England Mathematics League, ranks 28th among the 247 schools in the six state region. The team leads in Plymouth County over Brockton, Hingham, Hull, Marshfield, Notre Dame Academy, Scituate and West Bridgewater.

Leading scorers for ORR are Jeff Humphrey, Jeff Starecheski, Mike Burnett, Brian Reid, Sue Herman and David Tremblay.

The ORR Math Team finished the regular season in the SMC Mathematics League by narrowly defeating Dartmouth High by three points. ORR and Dartmouth "battled" back and forth through the first five rounds (number theory, Algebra I, plane geometry, Algebra II and Trigonometry) and at the end of the fifth round Dartmouth managed to gain a tie with ORR. The final round was the team round (analytic geometry for this meet) and this was when ORR took over. ORR captured seven points while Dartmouth only managed four. ORR's experience, calmness under pressure and teamwork proved invaluable in the final round.

ORR will now prepare for the league playoffs at Falmouth in April with the top eight teams in the league competing.

Roman Triumphus at ORR

On Tuesday, March 12, sixty students enrolled in Latin I - Latin V at Old Rochester Regional Junior and Senior High Schools participated in a Roman TRIUMPHUS. This TRIUMPHUS was a Victory Parade celebrating Julius Caesar's conquest of Gaul in 58-50 B.C.

Students dressed as Roman senators; lictors, (bodyguards carrying fasces which were bundles of sticks tied together to symbolize power); soldiers carrying swords, shields, and spoils of war; priests; the triumphator himself (Julius Caesar); captives, slaves, and several wild animals paraded through the cafeteria to a Roman altar where the priests sacrificed a white bull to the gods.

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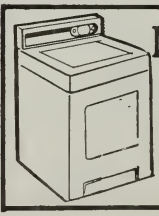

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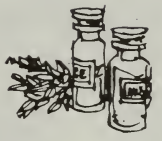

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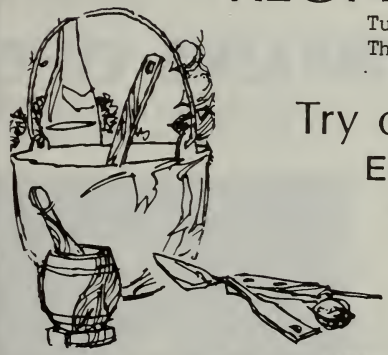

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Mariner Soccer

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Mariner Youth Soccer Club announces final tryouts for competitive teams which will play this spring in the South Coast Soccer League. Mariner will have teams in two age divisions: under 12 (born in 1973 and 1974) and under 10 (born in 1975 and 1976). All interested players from the towns of Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester, Fairhaven and Acushnet are invited to tryouts which will be held on Saturday, March 23rd, at 1:00 p.m. at the East Fairhaven School (corner of Route 6 and New Boston Road). Tryouts will be held rain or shine. For further information contact John Sullivan at 993-0463

GIRLS INTERESTED IN PLAYING SOCCER

The Mariner Youth Soccer Club invites all girls interested in playing soccer this spring to come to East Fairhaven School on Saturday, March 30th, between 10 a.m. and 12 noon. Girls born 1971-1976 are eligible to play in the Spring season which will be for six weeks beginning on April 13th. There will be a $5. fee for new players. Those girls who played soccer last fall will be contacted about playing again in the Spring. Call Roger Ouellette at 748-0118 or Richard Bordas at 999-1022 for further information.

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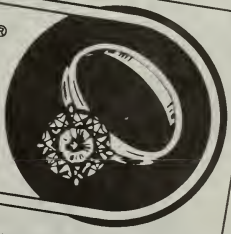

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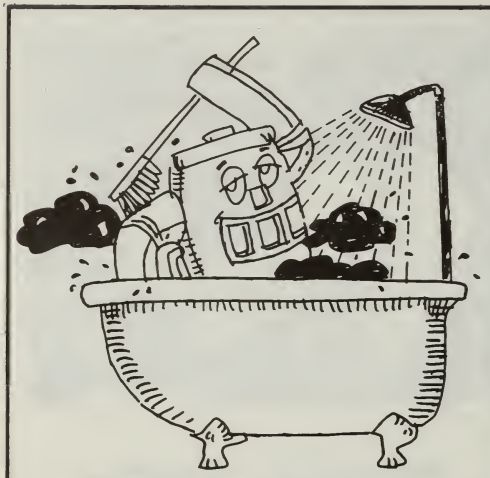

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In order to qualify for the statewide event, students had to excel in local and southeastern district competitions. The following students have done so and will represent Old Colony:

Cosmetology (senior division), Nicole Berube; Cosmetology (junior division), Pamela Ceurvels; Culinary Arts (cooking), Doreen Fernandes; Culinary Arts (baking), Michael Moniz; Machine Shop, Steven Amarello and Matt Lopes; Electrical, Malana Mortensen and Ed Payzant; Automotive, Jerry Sounik and Roland Poitras; Data Processing, Suzanne Lowell and Marye Mortensen.

Driver Education

ENROLLMENT NOW TAKING PLACE

Enrollment for Driver Education at Old Rochester Regional High School is now taking place. A student must be 16 years of age or older to enroll. Students from ORR will be given first available seats as the program is a school sponsored program.

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ORR Junior High

GIFT TO LIBRARY

As plans for SURVIVAL begin to take shape in the Old Rochester Regional Junior High School, the library is pleased to accept the gift from Mr. Horace Field of Northfield, MA. of two books: Field Guide to North American Edible Wild Plants by Elias and Dykeman and The United States Armed Forces Survival Manual. These books will be used as reference books for the 7th grade SURVIVAL program and are on display in the Junior High School Library.

SLIDE PRESENTATION ON CAPE COD CANAL

The Old Rochester Regional Junior High School was pleased to host a presentation by Mr. James Hagen, a ranger from the Corps of Engineers located in Buzzards Bay. This March 12th slide presentation covered both the history of the canal and the current usage of the Cape Cod Canal. Ranger Hagen introduced this local history topic, showed slides and fielded questions. Booklets were handed out to students.

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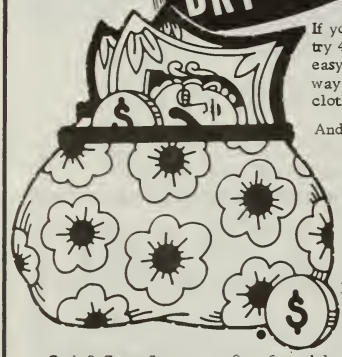

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ALGEBRA PROBLEM SOLVING GROUP

The Old Rochester Regional Junior High School Algebra Problem Solving Group ranks 8th in Massachusetts in the Continental Mathematics League through four meets this season. The team is made up from those students taking 8th grade Algebra I and the leading scorers for O.R.R. are: Vicky Hiller, Patrick Wetmore, Sue Parent, and Jennifer Morris. With only two meets remaining Old Rochester Regional Junior High School will have its hands full if they are to move up in the rankings.

Area Students

PLEDGED TO SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA SORORITY

Catherine Black of Mattapoisett has pledged Sigma Sigma Sigma social sorority at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst.

Miss Black is a sophomore majoring in education.

Sigma Sigma Sigma is a national sorority over 85 years old. It is affiliated with the National Panhellenic Conference.

Mattapoisett Recreation

JAZZY JOGA GROUP

Did you read last week's Presto Press? Time is getting near. Our Jazzy Joga group wants you to come and join them on Thursday, March 28, from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the Old Rochester gymnasium for a fitness night.

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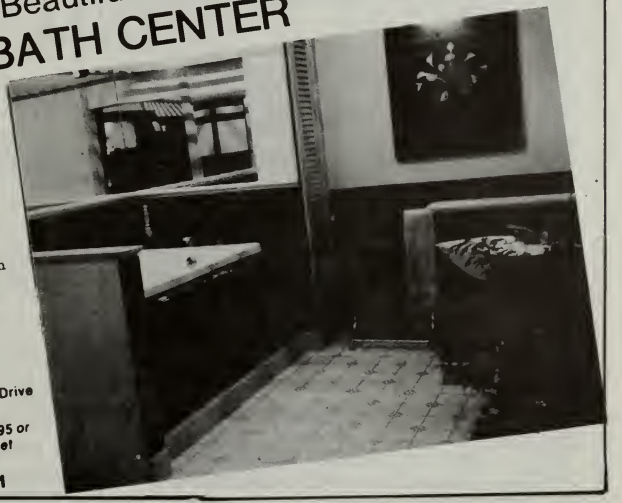

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MATTAPOISETT YOUTH BASEBALL 1985
LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL

This league is for boys who possess the basic skills of throwing, hitting and fielding. Tryouts will be held on Saturday, March 23rd, at 10:00 a.m. at the Old Hammondtown School. All boys between the ages of 9 and 12 are eligible. Rain date is Sunday, March 24th, at 12:00 noon (note time change). If there are any questions or you cannot attend the tryout call Barry Haskell at 992-3767 before the tryout date.

MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

This league is an instructional league designed to develop basic skills of throwing, hitting and fielding. Sign-ups will be held on Wednesday, April 3rd, and Thursday, April 4th, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Mattapoisett Town Hall. All boys between the ages of 8 and 11 are eligible (8 by June 1, 1985). Boys who were in this league last year will remain on the same team. If there are any questions or you

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Tobey Hospital

OPEN HOUSE WELL ATTENDED

The Maternity Unit and Birthing Room Open House at Tobey Hospital on Sunday, March 10th, was well attended and well received, according to John A. Kelenosy, Director of Resource and Development.

The Birthing Room, donated by Mr. and Mrs. W. Latimer Gray of Wareham, was the topic of conversation throughout the event. Mrs. Gray cut the ribbon to formally dedicate the Room.

The second room, donated by the West Wareham Grange, also received excellent revues by those in attendance. Mr. Ian Baldwin, President of Tobey Hospital, cut the ribbon to dedicate this two bed patient room, completed renovated in soft tones of yellow.

Mr. Charles Kinney, Administrator, spoke of the success of the program since the decision was made to continue the Maternity Service. Mr. Baldwin thanked everyone involved with the decision to retain Obstetrics at Tobey, the search committee who located Dr. Finégold, and all who assisted

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Dr. Richard Finegold, Chief of Obstetrics, spoke of the new philosophy at Tobey, accommodating mothers in their choices of birthing methods, the new spirit that exists on the unit, and the optimistic future of the entire service.

Refreshments were served by Past Presidents of the Tobey Hospital Guild: Mrs. Adeline Gayoski, Mrs. Madeline Cowell, Mrs. Beatrice York, and Mrs. Ellen Warr. Mrs. Marion Tift and Mrs. Ruth Kelenosy, President of the Guild, assisted.

The visitors received a packet of information about the Hospital and the Maternity Unit, as well as a tour throughout the Unit. Nursing and Medical Staff members were on hand to answer questions and guide the tours.

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The game, hard fought, was thrilling at times, with a minimum of turnovers. The teams handled the ball well, always looking for the scoring opportunity. The largest spread in any quarter was five points which both teams enjoyed at one time or another.

High scorer for the Medics was Paul Cardoza who scored 19 points, while Russell Tinkham was high scorer for the Police with 20 points.

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Nurses' Course

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PROGRAM AT TOBEY HOSPITAL

Pediatric Nurse Practitioner Alice Canham, R.N. will be the speaker at a program entitled "Newborn Assessment and Common Pediatric Respiratory Problems" on March 30th in the Stillman Library at Tobey Hospital. The session will begin at 8:00 a.m. and end at noon. The cost of the class, for which .4 CEU's will be awarded, is $10. for employees and $15. for non-employees.

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LARCENY: larceny from boats, Aucoot Road.

MOTOR VEHICLE CITATIONS: 14
AMBULANCE RUNS: 4
AUTO ACCIDENTS: 3
ARRESTS: 4
FIRES & RELATED RUNS: 1

Candy Bar Sale

Friends of Old Rochester Music (F.O.R.M.) is sponsoring a Tri-Town Candy Bar sale on Saturday, March 30th. This is the 3rd annual sale and this year's proceeds will be directed towards the purchase of new Old Rochester Regional Senior High School band uniforms. Students will be selling candy bars door-to-door in the towns of Mattapoisett, Marion, and Rochester from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Your generous support is greatly appreciated.

Choir Festival

THIS SUNDAY

The Mattapoisett Congregational Church Choir and St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church Choir of Marion are combining forces along with the Junior Choirs and the Handbell Choir to present a Choir Festival on Sunday, March 24th, at 4:00 p.m. at St. Gabriel's Church.

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Spelling Bee

St. Anthony's Women's Guild's annual Spelling Bee will be held on Thursday evening, March 28th, at 7 p.m. at Old Hammondtown School.

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There is a charge. For more information call toll free 1-800-424-3670; or Janet Waters at 1-401-683-4178.

4th Grader's Story Published

IN NATIONAL MAGAZINE

The March 1985 issue of a national magazine with a circulation of over 1½ million has published a composition titled "Thunder and Lightning" by Colin Everett of Mattapoisett, a fourth grade student at Old Hammondtown School.

The magazine is Highlights for Children, founded 39 years ago. Its readers are youngsters from two to twelve all over the countyr and in many parts of the world.

Colin is the son of William and Lenore Everett. He says he would like to own a drugstore and be a pharmacist when he

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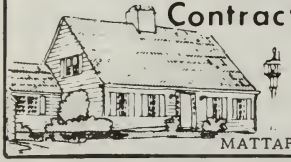
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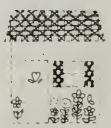
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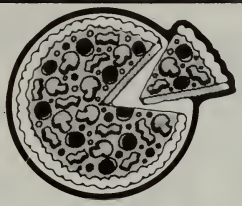

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grows up. Just now he is very keen on games, and he mentions Monopoly and Dark Towers and card games among his favorite activities. He also says that he likes television, going shopping, and playing with Legos.

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Seapex Exhibition

BOWHEAD WHALE CHOSEN FOR CACHETED ENVELOPE

Continuing the whaling theme which has made its cachets popular with collectors throughout the country for nearly a quarter of a century, the SEAPEX Committee has chosen the bowhead whale for this year's cacheted envelope.

It will be issued during the March 23-24 exhibition and bourse in New Bedford, sponsored by the stamp clubs in that old whaling port.

The bowhead, or Arctic whale, was an important quarry of New Bedford whalemen in the last half of the 19th century. It is an endangered species.

The cachet is reproduced from a print in the collection of the New Bedford Whaling Museum. A pictorial cancellation will feature a ship.

SEAPEX XXII will be held this year in the New Bedford High School cafeteria on Hathaway Boulevard. Taking part in the exhibition will be members of the sponsoring Whaling City and New Bedford Stamp Collectors Clubs, as well as members of clubs on Cape Cod, in Fall River and nearby Rhode Island.

Show hours are noon to 6 p.m. Saturday, March 23rd, and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, March 24th. In addition, more than 150 lots of stamps, covers and other philatelic material will be auctioned off at 9:30 Sunday morning by Stu Kusinitz. Viewing will start at 8:30.

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New Bedford Symphony

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On Saturday, March 30th, the New Bedford Symphony Orchestra will perform the Brahms "Symphony #1", "Afternoon of a Faun" by Debussy; and the "Polovetsian Dances" by Borodin.

The concert will be at 8:00 p.m. at the Zeiterion Theatre in New Bedford.

Please note the date change of this concert from April 20 to March 30.

Ticket prices are $7.50 general admission, $6. for seniors and students. Tickets are available at the Zeiterion Box Office, Purchase Street, New Bedford.

Square Dancing

MIDD-TOWN TWIRLERS SQUARE DANCE CLUB
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The Midd-Town Twirlers Square Dance Club of Fairhaven is sponsoring its 6th annual St. Patrick's Ham & Bean Supper and Dance on Saturday, March 23rd, at St. Joseph's Church Hall, Spring and Adams Streets, Fairhaven. The dinner will be served from 6 to 7 and the dance will be from 8 to 11.

Callers will be Walt Minnick and Hope Sargent. A Penny Sale will be held and donated items are needed. Door prizes will be awarded. For information call Gary Westgate at 995-9294 or Pat Cote, 994-5155.

Westport Historical Society

PROGRAM ON WINEGROWING

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land, including Early Colonial Efforts", on Thursday, March 21st, at 8:00 p.m. in Alumni Hall at the Bell Schoolhouse, 11 Drift Road, Westport (Head of Westport).

James Mitchell and his wife, Lolly, were recently written up in New England Monthly. The couple considered various grape-growing regions from California to the East coast but they finally found what they were seeking in southern Rhode Island and established Sakonnet Vineyards, using the help of consultants, studied and read up on wineries. Today, the Mitchells have 45 acres of grapes.

Mr. Mitchell will give a brief history of wine making in New England describing including both new and old ways of sowing, harvesting and processing of grapes for making wine.

A wine tasting hour will follow Mr. Mitchell's talk. The public is invited to attend. Tickets are $2. for members, $3. for non-members. Reservations are necessary and may be made by calling 636-6011.

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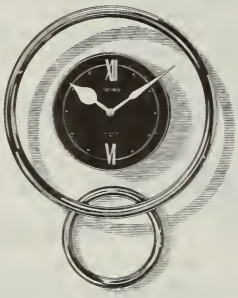

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Easter Seal Telethon

MATT. RESIDENT TO APPEAR AS VIP PANELIST

Barbara Whitehead Silva of Mattapoisett will appear as a VIP panelist on the 1985 Easter Seal Telethon March 30 and 31 on WXNE-TV, Channel 25, Boston.

Ms. Silva is President of the Citizens Credit Union and as a VIP panelist will be securing support for Easter Seal prior to and during the Telethon. VIP panelists are instrumental in accounting for a substantial portion of the total monies raised by the annual show.

Easter Seal's goal for the 1985 Telethon is $838,000. It is a major source of funding for Easter Seal Services each year which include stroke clubs, swim programs and camping opportunities. The funds raised by the Telethon also help to offset the costs of free care services provided by Easter Seal Home Health Care.

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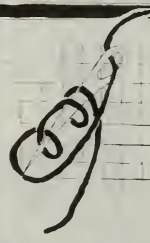

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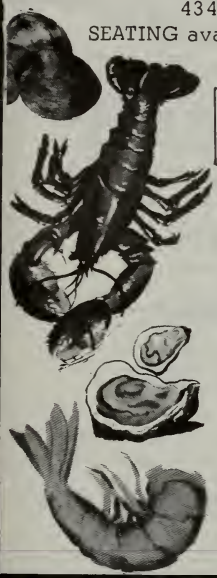

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the owl calls they might hear outdoors. The group then visited several different areas in South Dartmouth in the early morning hours, attracting owls by playing the cassette recording of calls. Since owls establish nesting territories and begin nesting in February and March, this is a good time of year to search for them. By playing a recording of their calls, owls in the area may respond if they feel their territory is being invaded by an intruder. We increased our chances of seeing or hearing the species of owls which inhabit this area by visiting different locations in South Dartmouth. During the course of the Owl Walk we heard a Screech Owl and a Great Horned Owl and caught a fleeting glimpse of a Short-eared Owl. Watching a Long-eared owl making itself "invisible" by shrinking amidst the foliage of a cedar tree was a highlight of the pre-dawn venture. The Barred Owl, the fifth species on our "owl wish list" remained unseen and unheard during this particular walk.

Owls have been persecuted for years under the mistaken belief that they deplete populations of game animals. The scouts gained a new appreciation for these unique birds when they learned that owls are very important in pest control because mice, rats, and other rodents make up a large percentage of their diet. Besides com-

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pleting requirements for a scout badge, the excitement of being in the woods at night and "calling in" a wild bird made the "Owl Walk" a unique experience.

The Lloyd Center staff works in conjunction with Boy Scout and Girl Scout troops who are working towards badges pertaining to environmental studies. For more information on these or other programs offered by the Lloyd Center please call Beth Pollin at 990-0505. The Center is located at 430 Potomska Road in South Dartmouth.

Y.W.C.A.

LUNCHEON

"Parent/Child Relations" will be discussed by a representative from the Parent/Child Center of the Interchurch Council at the YWCA Wednesday Luncheon on March 27th.

The cafeteria-style luncheon begins at 11:45 a.m. and is open to the public.

YOUTH CLASSES

The YWCA is accepting registrations for the Youth Physical Activities classes starting in April. They include:

Tiny Tot Ballet - (10 weeks, $8.00) - Wednesday, April 3, from 5: to 5:30 p.m. or 5:30 to 6 p.m., Chris Sylvia, instructor.

Children's Ballet (10 weeks, $15.00) - Wednesday, April 3, from 6 to 7 p.m., Chris Sylvia, instructor.

Toddler's Gym (10 weeks, $15.00) - Wednesday, April 10, from 11 a.m. to noon, Margot Baptista, instructor.

Tumbling (10 weeks, $15.00) - Saturday, March 30, from 11 a.m. to noon or noon to 1 p.m., Toi Fortes, instructor.

Any young people interested in Tennis should call the YWCA at 999-3255 to have their names placed on an interest sheet.

All prices quoted are for YWCA members. There is a higher fee for non-members. YWCA youth membership is $5.00 per year.

FAMILY NIGHT

Young people in grades 1-6 and their parents are invited to participate in the YWCA's Family Night activities on Saturday,

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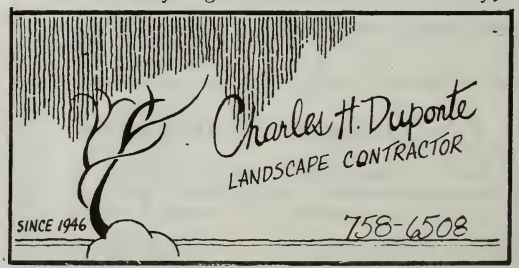

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FILM SERIES

"Gertrude Stein: When This You See, Remember Me" will be the next feature in the YWCA Standish Film Series. It will be shown on Thursday, March 28th, from 1 to 3 p.m.

The film uses a montage of old photos, interviews, documentary footage and readings from her works to unfold more than three decades of Gertrude Stein's life.

The film series is open to the public. A $1.00 donation is requested.

SWIM TEAM EXCELS

Ten year old Sandra Kazama of the YWCA Aquarian swim team competing in the New England Junior Olympics Championship Swim Meet held at Harvard University pool won a fifth place medal in "AA" National time in the 50 back with 35.97. She also achieved "AA" National time in the 100 Free with 1.08.07 and "AA" time in the 200 Individual Medley in 2.51.86.

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Registration for GED (High School Equivalency) classes at the YWCA will be held on Tuesday, March 26, and Thursday, March 28, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the YWCA, 66 Spring Street, New Bedford.

Registration is $5.00; tuition for New Bedford residents is $25.00 and $30.00 for non-residents. The text is $9.00.

BILINGUAL EXERCISE

A bilingual (Portuguese/English) exercise class will begin at the YWCA on Tuesday, April 2nd. The classes will meet twice a week on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 to 11 a.m. or 6 to 7 p.m.

The Aerobic-type exercises will be done to music. Loose, comfortable clothing and sneakers should be worn. Darlene Greatrix is the instructor.

Advance registration at the YWCA, 66 Spring Street, is required.

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The two-week "Buck-A-Cup" drive for Easter Seals is sponsored annually by the Dunkin' Donut Corporation. The statewide fund-raising event ends on Friday, March 29th, designated by Dunkin' Donuts as "Coffee Day", the day the corporation will be giving out free cups of coffee to participants.

Jay Dubinsky, chairman of the Dunkin' Donuts Corporation's Northeast Zone Advisory Council, said the company has backed the work of the Massachusetts Easter Seal Society for several years. "As a corporation, we're proud to support the work of Easter Seals", he said. "Through the Society's swim programs, stroke clubs, camping opportunities, therapy programs, and other services, disabled youngsters and adults across the state are given hope

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For more information call any of the Dunkin' Donut shops in your area or the New Bedford regional office of Easter Seals at 997-1553.

Monthly Holy Hour

A Holy Hour will be held at the Sacred Hearts Church, 382 Main Street, Fairhaven on Tuesday, March 26th, from 7 to 8 p.m. The celebrant will be the pastor of the church, Fr. Alphonsus McHugh ss.cc. This month's Holy Hour will consist of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, scripture reading, prayers, meditation, and will conclude with Benediction. Also, during the hour, membership cards and pins will be blessed and distributed to the Adorers. Refreshments will be served following the hour in the church hall, and the public is invited to attend.

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Symposium: MS

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This program has been submitted to the Massachusetts Nurses Association for approval for contact hours. Registration, including luncheon, is $30. for professionals, $10. for students and non-professionals.

For more information contact the Support Services Department of the Multiple Sclerosis Society at 771-9117 or 890-4990.

New Alchemy Institute

COURSES SCHEDULED

The New Alchemy Institute is offering special spring courses expressly for the gardeners of Cape Cod and nearby areas, as well as workshops for children. The fee for each garden course is $10.; each children's workshop costs $5. All are given at the Institute's farm at 237 Hatchville Road, East Falmouth. Registration details are available by phone, 563-2655 or 563-2219.

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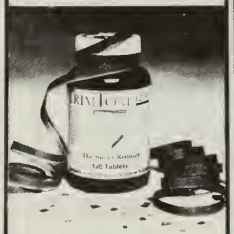

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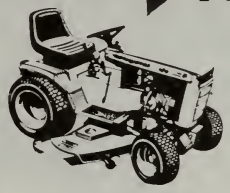

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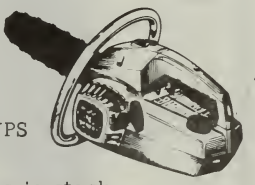

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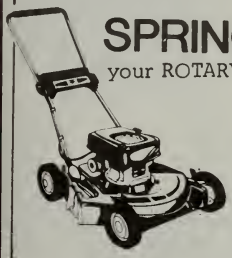

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April 4: Planning Your Garden, with David Marchant, 7-10 p.m. Helps plan for continuous harvests, disease control, trellising, and garden mapping. Bring a map and soil sample of your garden.

April 11: Planning Your Edible Landscape, with Earle Barnhart, 7-10 p.m. How to choose flowers, herbs, shrubs and trees that are food-producing as well as attractive.

April 13, April 17, May 11: Three children's workshops, with Debbie Habib, 9:30 to 12 noon; includes explorations of woodlands, gardening, crafts, music, cooking, games, and simple science. Snack and materials provided.

April 18: Gardening without Harmful Pesticides, with Colleen Armstrong, 7 to 10 p.m. How to use organic pesticides, beneficial insects, and other pest controls. Advice on major pests of Cape Cod gardens.

April 23: Practical Skills of Compost-

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Paula and John Raikkonen of the Pasta House in Fairhaven, in tribute to the late Charlotte Morris of Mattapoisett, are dedicating a day to Cancer Research.

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April 30: Spring Skills of Growing Herbs, with Hilde Maingay and Earle Barnhart, 9 a.m.-noon. Includes techniques of propagating useful herbs, designing herb plots, and harvesting herbs.

May 11: Bees for the Home Landscape, with David Marchant, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. All about bees, their care, and benefits to your landscape. Involves working outdoors with bees!

Organic seedlings grown in New Alchemy's solar greenhouses will again be on sale to the public, starting May 18-19, and on following weekends while supplies last.

In addition to the courses above, the Institute is offering more comprehensive spring courses on five weekends, as follows: Greenhouse Design and Mangement, by Colleen Armstrong, Bill Smith, and Bruce Fulford, April 12-14, $100. fee; Ecological Design for Backyards, Homesteads and Small Farms, by John Quinney, April 19-21, $100. fee; Passive Solar for Space and Water Heating, by Bill Smith, April 26-28, $100. fee; Composting Greenhouses and Biothermal Energy, by Bruce Fulford, May 10-12, $100. fee; Integrated Aquaculture Systems, by Ronald Sweig and David Engstrom, May 24-27, $200. fee.

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Children's Theatre Workshop

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Now as the flowers are beginning to show their buds and the weather is showing its spring colors, the Priscilla Beach Theatre in Plymouth is celebrating this spring season with the offering of a whole array of Children's Theatre Workshops for children of the ages 5-16. The spring program consists of five workshops which have as their focus the developing of communication skills such as: speech, creative movement, oral expression, self-confidence, poise, and concentration. The children will develop these skills through the application of them to a particular role in a classical role of a Children's Theatre play. The spring workshops are as follows: "Velveteen Rabbit" (March 18-April 21); "Rumpelstiltskin" (March 26- April 28); "Alice in Wonderland" (April 3 - May 5); "Little Red Riding Hood" (April 11 - May 12); "Jack and the Beanstalk" (April 22 - May 19). Aside from the spring workshops in communi-

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cation there will be offered special elective workshops in Dance, Voice, Speech and Make-up. For a complete spring schedule of workshops and registration procedures children may call the Theatre at 224-4888 or write Priscilla Beach Theatre, P.O. Box 424, Whitehorse Beach, MA. 02381.

Priscilla Beach Theatre is a professional non-profit school of Drama which does not discriminate according to sex, age, color, religion or nationality.

Stroke Club

The Greater New Bedford Easter Seal Stroke Club will hold its monthly meeting on Monday, March 25th, at 7:00 p.m. at Brandon

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Lecture on Nuclear Power

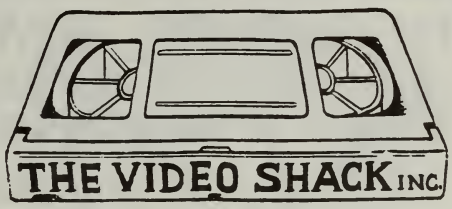
FORMER ENERGY SECRETARY TO SPEAK AT SMU

Shelby Brewer, former Assistant Secretary of the United States Department of Energy, will speak on "Nuclear Power: Where is it Going - Where has it Been" at Southeastern Massachusetts University on April 3. Sponsored by the President's Distinguished Guest Lecture Series, the talk will take place at 4 p.m. in the Recital Hall of the College of Visual and Performing Arts (Group VI) Building. It is free and open to the public.

Dr. Brewer was nominated as assistant secretary by President Reagan in May 1981. In that capacity he was the senior administration official responsible for nuclear energy. He is credited with a number of major accomplishments: passage of the Nuclear Waste Act of 1982; execution of the successful uranium enrichment turnaround which saved the enterprise from insolvency; formulation of the Nuclear Licensing Reform Act; and initiation of the NAVAL Advanced Fleet Reactor Program.

Prior to that, Brewer held responsible positions with the U.S. Navy, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and the Atomic Energy Commission.

In September 1984 he left the Department of Energy to become senior vice president



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Dr. Brewer holds bachelor degrees from Columbia University and a master's and doctoral degree in nuclear engineering from M.I.T.

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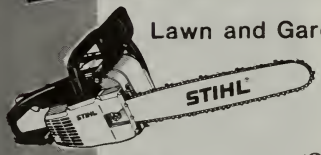

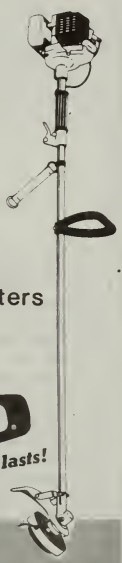

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A native of Philadelphia, John Green now lives in Amherst, where he studied for a B.Sc. degree in Nature Interpretation at the University of Massachusetts. He is a self-taught natural history photographer who specializes in working under natural light conditions without disturbing his subjects. "An important balance is maintained between getting close views of wildlife and infringing on their space," he says. For the past decade he has been on the organizing committee for Focus: Outdoors, the well-known "nature college" weekend sponsored by the Massachusetts Audubon Society every summer. In addition to speaking and running photography workshops, he frequently leads natural history trips to places like the Everglades and the Okefenokee Swamp, through an organization called Naturethics.

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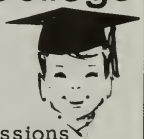

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urgently needed in the struggle to protect habitats and the wildlife dependent on them. PCWT is a non-profit, membership organization open to all who share an interest in preserving local natural areas. It now owns nearly 800 acres of conservation land on 19 preserves in 8 towns in southeastern Massachusetts.

Guitar Concert at SMU

Tiberio Nascimento, noted Brazilian guitarist, will give a concert with his wife, soprano Vivian Poole, at Southeastern Massachusetts University on March 29th at 7:30 p.m. in the Recital Hall of the College of Visual and Performing Arts (Group VI) Building. The public is invited to attend.

Nascimento studied with Brazilian guitarist Antonio Carlos Barbosa-Lima, and he played for and was praised by the great Andres Segovia.

The concert is sponsored by the SMU Cultural Affairs Committee in cooperation with the Luso-American Student Association.

Ticket prices are $2. for the public. For tickets call the ticket office in the campus center at 999-8136.

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Small Farms Day

The 4th Annual Small Farms Day will be presented by the Plymouth County Extension Service on Saturday, March 23rd, 8:30 a.m. registration; to 3:30 p.m., at the Middleborough High School, Route 28 in Middleborough, reports Liz O'Donoghue.

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The Small Farms Day program begins promptly at 9 a.m. with registration starting at 8:30. You may register at the door; the fee is $2.00 to cover expenses. Lunch will be available to purchase from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Lectures are presented one time only. Be sure to choose your favorites and not be disappointed.

Tournament Bridge

MATTAPOISETT BRIDGE CLUB

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DARTMOUTH BRIDGE CLUB

Winners in the regular weekly bridge tournament held last week at the Dartmouth Bridge Club are announced.

Monday evening, March 11th, the North-South winners were Shelly Brody and Charlotte Gibbs, first; Pal O'Leary and Ruth Cunningham, second; Sandra Koren and Harriet Philips tied Margie Sullivan and William Noyes for third and fourth places.

In the East-West direction Felix Raffa and Mark Gallagher were first; Dona O'Malley and E. J. Tomasik, second; Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence S. Kennison, third; Pamela Mendoza and Christine Galligan, fourth.

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In the East-West direction Ruth Cunningham and Evelyn Weidner were first; Mae Vermette and Margaret Schene, second; Ida Abrahams and Eleanor Levine, third; Mildred Hunt and Felix Raffa, fourth.

Thursday afternoon, March 14th, the North-South winners were Ida Abrahams and Eunice Levene, first; Dona O'Malley and Lizette Sylvia, second; Joanne Greaves and Dorothy Cosman, third; Barbara Ahlborn and Constance Gilbert, fourth.

In the East-West direction Jeanie Rogers and Dorothy Friar were first; Mary Terpeny and Bertha Pentleton tied Beatrice Wollison and Leona Pierce for second and third places; Betty Whayne and Evelyn Weidner, fourth.

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21	7:47	8:02	1:31	1:37
22	8:24	8:40	1:58	2:01
23	9:00	9:16	2:26	2:27
24	9:37	9:54	2:55	2:56
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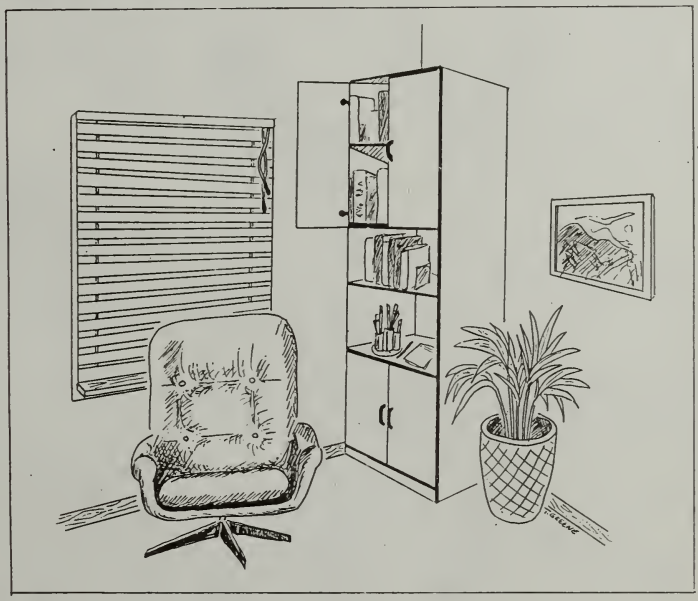

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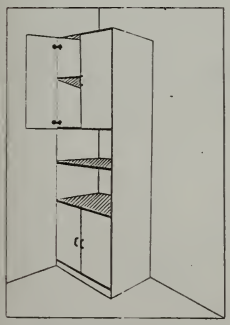

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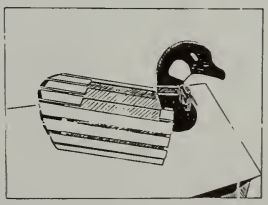

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